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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK*
(POUNDS)

	FREIGHT	TRUCK DEALERS AT TERMINAL	TRUCK & EXPRESS (DIRECT RECEIVERS)	TRUCK LONG ISLAND DUCKS	TOTAL RAIL & TRUCK
NOVEMBER 19, 1943	73,084	238,509	138,023	4,960	454,576
NOVEMBER 20, 1943	180,172	58,117	101,877	454	340,620
NOVEMBER 21, 1943	30,134	11,786	215,509	-	257,429
SO FAR THIS WEEK	889,492	1,255,126	1,470,910	32,759	3,648,287
SO FAR LAST WEEK	490,000	1,221,482	914,937	31,400	2,657,819

*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS.

NEW YORK: FREIGHT RECEIPTS WERE MODERATE AND FAR SHORT OF TRADE REQUIREMENTS. A TOTAL OF 32 CARS (WHICH INCLUDED 19 CARRIED FROM SUNDAYSMARKET) WERE REPORTED ON TRACK. APPROXIMATELY 50% OF AVAILABLE SUPPLIES WERE TURKEYS AND THE BALANCE WEIGHING STOCKS. TRADING ACTIVE AND ALL OFFERINGS CLEARED QUICKLY. MARKET VERY FIRM, WITH MOST DEALERS REPORTING TOP PERMITTED CEILING PRICES. COLORED FOWL A 28½, SOME SALES HIGHER; LEGHORNS FOWL A 28½; ROCK CHICKENS A 32; COLORED CHICKENS A 32; DUCKS A 28½; GEESE A 29½; CAPONS A 35½; YOUNG TURKEYS A 39½; ROOSTERS A 24½. TRUCK RECEIPTS WERE FAIRLY LIBERAL. THE DEMAND WAS ACTIVE AND MANY BUYERS WERE COMPELLED TO PURCHASE SPRINGS DUE TO THE SCARCITY OF TURKEYS AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS HOLIDAY SPECIALTIES. MARKET HELD IN FIRM POSITION AT PREVAILING LEVELS ON ALL CLASSES OF LIVE POULTRY. COLORED FOWL A 28½; YEARLINGS A UNQUOTED; LEGHORN FOWL A 28½; BROILERS, FRYERS, AND ROASTERS-ROCKS A 32; CROSSES A MOSTLY 32. RED A 31-32; LEGHORN A 30; CAPONS A 35½; YOUNG TURKEYS A 39½; DUCKS A 28½; GEESE A 29½; SQUABS AND PIGEONS A 35-40, A FEW PICKOUTS HIGHER; RABBITS A 27-30 MOSTLY 30. STATE OF ORIGIN AND NUMBER OF CARS ON TRACK ARE AS FOLLOWS: ALABAMA 2 CARRIED, ILLINOIS 3 AND 1 CARRIED, INDIANA 4 CARRIED, IOWA 1 CARRIED, KENTUCKY 4 CARRIED, MISSISSIPPI 1 CARRIED, N.DAKOTA 5 CARRIED, OHIO 1, TENNESSEE 1 CARRIED AND 9 UNKNOWN. THE 52 TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED: 1 CONN. CROSS, 18 DEL. CROSS, 1 MD. CROSS, 1 MAINE CROSS, 2½ N.Y. CROSS, 1 CONN. CROSS REDSAND PULLETS, 1 N.Y. CROSS AND ROCKS, 3/4 N.Y. RED AND CROSS, 1 DEL. ROCK, 1 N.Y. ROCK, 1 W.VA. ROCK, 3 N.Y. REDS, 1/4 PENN. RED PULLETS, 1/2 N.Y. BLACK PULLETS, 1 MD. MIXED, 2 N.H. MIXED, 3 N.Y. MIXED, 1 VT. MIXED, TOTAL 39½, MOSTLY SPRINGS AND A FEW MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS; 1 CONN. LEGHORN FEW COLORED, 2 N.J. LEGHORN, 4½ N.Y. LEGHORNS FEW COLORS, 1/4 PENN. TOTAL 7¼ FOWL; 3 VA. TURKEYS (1 UNLOADED YESTERDAY); 1 TENN. TURKEYS, 1/2 PA. CAPONS, TOTAL 4½ TURKEYS AND CAPONS, PLUS 1 N.J. UNCLASSIFIED, 1 DEL. CROSS SPRINGS, 1/2 TENN. FOWL, 1/2 TENN. CAPONS AND SLIPS DUE. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 315,089 POUNDS. APPROXIMATELY 170 LONG COOPS WERE CARRIED CONSISTING MOSTLY OF CROSS SPRINGS AND A FEW LEGHORN SPRINGS.

PHILADELPHIA - MARKET GENERALLY FIRMER. RECEIPTS INCLUDING SUNDAY'S HEAVIER, WITH GRADE A STOCKS OF ALL CLASSES IN MUCH BROADER DEMAND THAN FOR THE PAST NUMBER OF WEEKS, EVIDENTLY A RESULT OF THE ACUTE SHORTAGE OF TURKEY OFFERINGS AND THE USUAL PRE-HOLIDAY INCREASE IN DEMAND. 3-3½ LB SPRINGERS AND GOOD PORTION OF BROILERS OF GRADE A WHICH HAVE BEEN DRAGGING FOR SALE HAD FAIR TO GOOD DEMAND AT HIGHER PRICES. DUCKS, GEESE AND TURKEYS WANTED. MORE TURKEYS ARRIVING, BUT MOSTLY FROM DISTANT POINTS AND DEALERS ANTICIPATE FROM 5-25% RECEIPTS COMPARED WITH LAST YEAR. REPORTED WHOLESALE PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: FOWL COLORED 27½-28½, LEGHORN 4½-5 LBS 27-28½, LIGHT WEIGHT 24-26½, ROASTERS 31½-32, FRYERS 31-31½, BROILERS 29-31½, OLD ROOSTERS 20-22, FEW 23, DUCKS WHITE PEKIN 27½-28½, MUSCOVY 26-28, GEESE 29-29½, YOUNG TURKEYS UNDER 18 LBS 39-39½, MOSTLY 39½-39½, GRADES B AND C FOWL SOLD 23 DOWN TO 15½, SPRINGERS 26½ DOWN TO 16½ WITHOUT CLEARING. LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS NOV. 19, 1943-148,471 LBS BY TRUCK, 4,539 LBS. BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 153,010 LBS. NOVEMBER 20, 1943-25,200 BY TRUCK, 4,345 LBS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 29,545 LBS. TOTAL FOR WEEK ENDING NOV. 20-804,128 LBS. PREVIOUS WEEK 802,929 LBS. (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTERMARKET DISTRIBUTION).

BALTIMORE - CHICKEN MARKET STEADY TO FIRM ON FANCY LOTS, DULL ON ORDINARY YOUNG CHICKENS AND SMALL FOWL, RECEIPTS LIGHT. WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (INCLUDING COMMISSIONS IN BALTIMORE) ROASTERS, BROILERS AND FRYERS; ROCKS AND CROSSES 28-32, LEGHORNS 23-27. FOWL COLORED 27-28½, UNDER 4 LBS 25-26, LEGHORNS 20-23. DUCKS YOUNG PEKINS AND MUSCOVIES 5 LBS AND UP 26½.

WASHINGTON - MARKET FIRM. RECEIPTS LIGHT. PRICES PAID NET FOB WASHINGTON (PERMITTED TRANSPORTATION CHARGES INCLUDED ACCORDING TO MILEAGE) BROILERS AND FRYERS 28½-30; FOWL 26½-28; ROOSTERS 20-22.

CHICAGO - POULTRY WAS RECEIVED SATURDAY AND SUNDAY DUE TO THE PROXIMITY OF THE THANKS GIVING HOLIDAY. SATURDAY AND SUNDAY RECEIPTS TOTALED 218,559 LBS. TODAY'S ARRIVALS UP THROUGH EARLY AFTERNOON WERE 36 TRUCKS HAVING 1791 COOPS IN ADDITION THERE WERE 8 CARS BY RAIL UNLOADED. THE MARKET SHOWED A FIRM ASPECT BEING STIMULATED BY REGULAR TRADE FOR HOLIDAY CONSUMPTION. VALUES WERE GENERALLY HIGHER WITH ROCK AND MIXED BREE CHICKENS, LEGHORN HENS AND DUCKS UP ½. PAYING PRICES GRADE A FOB NET THE MARKET AS FOLLOWS: FOWL 22½-24, LEGHORN FOWL 20½-22, BROILERS FRYERS AND ROASTERS-ROCKS 26½-28, MIXED BREEDS 24½-25½, LEGHORN BROILERS AND FRYERS 20½-21½, OLD ROOSTERS 17½-19, FARM DUCKS 24½-25½, GEESE 24½-26.

NOTE: RECEIPTS AT NEW YORK FOR THIS WEEK ARE MONDAY- SUNDAY INCLUSIVE; LAST WEEK ARE MONDAY-SATURDAY INCLUSIVE.

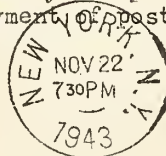
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